

## CONCORD.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wadleigh of St. Johnsbury are guests at Edgar Harvey's last week.

Willie Douglas, who is employed at Waterbury, is spending a few weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Douglas.

Mrs. Susie Jones, who has spent the past few weeks at St. Johnsbury, is now stopping with her mother, Mrs. S. W. Hill.

There will be a Christmas social and promenade at the Universalist church Wednesday evening Dec. 28, under the auspices of the Y. P. C. U.

West Concord Camp of Modern Woodmen will give their fourth annual ball at hotel hall Thursday evening, Dec. 29. Music by Mrs. Brock's orchestra. Landlord Shaw will serve refreshments.

Mrs. Fred Newton and Mrs. L. W. Hastings of Miles Pond were guests of Mrs. Warren Temple last week.

Mrs. Edgar Harvey has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. E. Wadleigh, at St. Johnsbury.

Volney Hastings and two daughters of Concord, N. H., were guests of his brother, Horace Hastings, last week.

Harold James of Berlin, N. H., is spending his vacation with his aunt, Mrs. Miner Carpenter.

Mrs. Dana Rivers and Mrs. Brown of Miles Pond were guests of Mrs. John McLean last week.

Mrs. Jane Morse of St. Johnsbury is spending a few days at Abby Hudson's.

Walter May spent Sunday at St. Johnsbury with former classmates of St. J. A. Miss Mabel True is spending some time with her aunt, Mrs. N. P. Hollis, at East St. Johnsbury.

Trout Brook Creamery Co. paid its patrons 25¢ cents per pound for November butter. Manager Carpenter is distributing some very attractive calendars.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall M. Tatro and Miss Cleora of Chicago came last Thursday to spend Christmas at Sulphur Springs Farm. Hugh Milne of Burlington and Mr. and Mrs. Eben Milne of Quebec are also guests there.

The Woman's Relief Corps will give a grand masquerade promenade at G. A. R. hall New Year's eve Saturday Dec. 31. Refreshments will be served in Masonic hall. Old and young are invited to appear in costume and help to have a good time.

John McLean has been entertaining his brother Norman McLean of St. Johnsbury, his cousin Donald McLean, and his brother Dan McLean of Lingwick, P. Q.

The oldest son of Ed Wilkie of Victory was very seriously hurt while sliding last week, remaining unconscious five hours.

Mrs. Leigh Noyes is entertaining her sister, Miss Carrie Joy of St. Johnsbury.

The Y. P. C. U. have commenced rehearsals for the drama "The Woven Web." The young people of the society are working to help on the repairs of the church and deserve a good patronage.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Colbath have rented a room in L. S. Richard's block and are taking their meals with Mrs. Carrie Douglas.

Mrs. Achsa Fournia and sister, Mrs. Jock of North Concord, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Langlois.

Mr. and Mrs. Benton Lyster and daughter Leola, spent Christmas with relatives in Lyndonville.

Andrew Morgan of Passumpsic is visiting his daughter, Mamie Morgan, and Mrs. Robert Hull.

Misses Amy Chapman, Merle Smith and Vera Mooney, and Messrs Glen Mooney, Bernie Gray and Willard Brewer are home from St. Johnsbury Academy for the Christmas recess.

The pupils of the Judvine Memorial School decorated a tree for their teachers at the school building Friday, which was enjoyed by teachers and pupils. The scholars all received gifts of remembrance from the teachers.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Pike and daughter Katherine, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Adams at St. Johnsbury last week.

Miss Annie Reavey of Burlington is spending a few days with her sister, Miss Katherine Reavey.

Adah Chapter, O. E. S., held their annual election of officers at the regular meeting Thursday night.

Mrs. Hattie James, who has been caring for Mrs. Ellen Hutchinson, has returned to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Francis Chapman.

Mrs. Helen Burroughs has been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kellogg at St. Johnsbury.

Mrs. A. J. Coriveau of St. Johnsbury was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Stacy, last week.

The Christmas exercises at the Methodist church Saturday evening consisted of the usual Christmas music and recitations, and all who took part in any way did so in a creditable manner, the trees were well filled with gifts and Christmas cheer prevailed. The same can be said of the exercises at the Universalist church Monday night, they were a success in every way.

Miss Emma Whitney, who has spent the past few weeks in Colebrook, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. James Mann of St. Johnsbury has been spending a few days with her son, John Mann.

Mrs. George Quimby is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Nettie Morton of St. Johnsbury.

Mrs. Mary Bingham won the goose offered by W. H. Gero for guessing the nearest to the number of beans in a pint can. She guessed 1680 and the can contained just that number.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Storey and daughter of South Victory have been spending a few days with their sister, Mrs. Abby Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Temple and Mr. and Mrs. Libby Lewis spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hastings at Miles Pond.

Stephen Haviland, who spent the past week in town, has returned to his home in Lisbon.

Mrs. Henry Gee has been entertaining her brother, Mr. Ryder from New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Fielding Burbee of West Waterford were guests of his sister, Mrs. C. B. Folsom, last week.

Miss Mary McLachlin, the teacher in the intermediate room, spent the holidays at her home in Peacham.

John Hanlon is now boarding with Mr. and Mrs. Julius Brigham.

L. W. Russell, who has been very feeble for some time, is failing quite fast now.

Mrs. Miles Mullen of Lunenburg was the guest of Mrs. William Rich last week. Henry Walbridge and sister, Miss Blanche, have been spending a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Walbridge.

Red Clover Rebekah Lodge, No. 27, held their annual election of officers last Tuesday night, and Concordia Lodge, I. O. O. F., held their election next Saturday night.

Libby Lewis of Morrisville has been spending a few days with Mrs. Lewis.

Mrs. Archie Bowen entertained her brother from Canada the past week.

## Lunenburg.

A sure sign of approaching revolt and serious trouble in your system is nervousness, sleeplessness, or stomach upsets. Electric Bitters will quickly dismember the troublesome causes. It never fails to tone the stomach, regulate the kidneys and bowels, stimulate the liver, and clarify the blood. Run down systems benefit particularly and all the usual attending aches vanish under its restful and thorough effectiveness. Electric Bitters is only 50¢, and that is returned if it doesn't give perfect satisfaction. Guaranteed by Flint Bros. and F. G. Landry Druggist.

## Lunenburg.

Phil and Miss Abbie Van Dyke came home from Manchester, N. H., last week to spend the holidays.

Murphy McFarland was home from Warren, N. H., over Sunday.

Walter Phelps presented his daughter, Miss Alice, with a fine piano, Christmas.

Chester Hunt has been confined to the house the past week with erysipelas.

Payson Sawyer and son George arrived from Portland, Maine, Saturday, to spend Christmas at George Winch's.

The McIndoe Grange will have a chicken pie supper at R. M. Johnson's, Monday evening. All are cordially invited. Games will be indulged in.

Miss Daisy McFarland and Miss Alice Moore were home from Peacham for Christmas.

The Deestrick Schule will be given at Academy Hall this evening by the North Monroes. Admission 25 cents.

The Christmas tree and concert were well attended Saturday evening. The children all took their parts very nicely, and were well rewarded when Santa Claus appeared and delivered the presents.

Miss Myrtle Skinner was home from Concord over Christmas.

Ed Flood has closed his barber shop here and gone to Warren, N. H., for the winter, where he will run a barber shop and livery stable.

At the election of officers of McIndoe Grange last week the following were chosen: C. I. Smith, master; Oren Bedell, overseer; Mrs. Effie Johnson, lecturer; Mrs. Carrie Leighton, chaplain; A. B. Perry, sec.; W. L. G. G. Trevelyan, reporter; Roger Crane, S.; Henry Leighton, A. S.; Emma Crane, L. A. S.; Freeman Johnson, gate-keeper; Mrs. Nettie Smith, Ceres; Mrs. Nellie Chamberlin, Pomona; Mrs. Susie Warden, Flora.

## Lunenburg.

By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear, there is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will cure Catarrh of the ears for any case of Deafness (caused by Catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

Sold by Druggists, or by mail, to J. C. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## Lunenburg.

George B. Houghton of Barre was at his father's, S. E. Houghton, recently.

Murton Briggs of Marshfield spent Sunday at George Drew's.

Mrs. Elmer Bailey is on the sick list, and Mr. Bailey is still confined to his bed.

Miss Grace Blake was home over Sunday from Marshfield.

Miss Lela Houghton is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Houghton, for a few weeks.

Miss Maude French spent Christmas at her home in Walden.

The Misses Briggs of Cabot spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. George Drew.

Mrs. George Drew was in Barre Saturday.

Mrs. William D. Barr is at Elmer Bailey's for a few days' stay.

Cards are out announcing the wedding of George B. Houghton and Miss Flossie Bell Morse, both of Barre, to take place at Barre today.

Harry Young is helping R. S. Barr for a few days.

## Lunenburg.

Clarence Batchelder and Miss Daisy Powers from Lyndonville spent Christmas at J. E. Batchelder's.

Sidney Willis from Tufts College is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Russell from Waterford visited at W. P. Russell's last week.

Daniel Davis is visiting friends in Boston and vicinity. David Nickerson is working there while he is away.

Miss Alberta Langmaid has finished work at George Leach's and gone home to Burke.

Harry Leach is working for Ira Hunter.

## Lunenburg.

Opinions vary as to what is best in every line. The best Poultry Food is the one that gives best results. T. W. Slight, Haverhill, N. H., expresses his opinion in the following letter. "I am pleased to say that Page's Perfection Poultry Food is the best Poultry Food that has come under my observation. It is an excellent seller."

## Lunenburg.

These officers of the Grand Army post have been elected for the coming year: commander, Nelson Bailey; senior commander, W. S. Brock; junior commander, W. S. D. Barling; quartermaster, Henry Gilliland; sergeant, Loren Chase; officer of the day, J. C. Grady; officer of the guard, George Bigelow; adjutant, George P. Blair; chaplain, M. M. Wheeler.

## AT THE 'VILLE.

Dr. C. W. Staples came home from Boston and spent Christmas Sunday with his family.

Miss Bessie Aldrich was at St. Johnsbury with her mother and brother for Christmas.

Miss Mary Emerson left here on Monday for Nashua, N. H., where she has a good position as stenographer with the American Box and Lumber Co. Her many friends in this place regret very much to have her leave here, but wish her success most heartily.

The annual school meeting last Wednesday was very brief, there being little discussion. It was voted to accept the charter amendment passed by the legislature, and raise a per cent bonds payable in 25 years, for \$25,000, to finish paying the indebtedness on the schoolhouse.

Mrs. Morton J. Lyster is spending Christmas with her parents in Temple, Texas.

The Northern Chemical Co., recently located at one end of the new building here, The Lyster Brothers the members of the firm, are bright, enterprising and successful young men, and we hope arrangements can be made so they will come here.

The annual ball of the Knights of Pythias, taken place last evening at Music Hall and promises to be a very brilliant and pleasant affair. Mrs. Brock's orchestra furnishes music and the Universalist Ladies' Aid society the refreshments. A first-class concert is guaranteed, as well as fine dance music.

The Institute place are all well for the Christmas vacation. Miss Lull has gone to Windsor, Miss Joslyn to Waitsfield, Mr. Williams to Winchendon, Mass. and Mr. and Mrs. Harris to Plattsburg, N. Y.

Mr. Johnson has purchased N. B. Harvey's house on Charles street, recently vacated by Mrs. Steele.

Wesley Emerson spent Christmas at home and while here assisted in Cheney Bros. drug store for a few days.

The extreme drought has made it difficult to get good lighting lately, but the commissioners hope, if people will be economical in their use, to be able to furnish all necessary lights.

Mrs. Minnie Wilnot was clerking in Mrs. F. J. Willey's during the holidays.

Miss Louise Gleason is home from the Normal school at Johnson for the holiday vacation.

Mrs. Carroll Edgerton and baby of McIndoes Falls have been visiting at Levi Edgerton's.

## For Over Sixty Years

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used by millions of mothers for their children while teething. It disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth, send at once and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for Children Teething. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures Diarrhea, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething is pleasant to the taste and is the best remedy of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Price 25 cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup."

## Lunenburg.

Jack Sargent and Edward Lippitt went to Buck lake last week fox hunting, and Mr. Lippitt shot the largest fox that has been brought into this town this season. The animal weighed 12 pounds.

Wilmer Burnham, a young man living about three miles from here, in the town of Woodbury, was killed in a very strange manner at his home last Wednesday. Burnham and a man named Thompson were drawing manure. They had dug a hole and had a lot of the frozen manure fell on Mr. Burnham, burying him so that he smothered before he could be removed from underneath the pile. Mr. Thompson was obliged to go some distance to a neighbor's house for assistance.

## Lunenburg.

Those who will persist in closing their ears against the continual recommendation of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will have a long and bitter fight with their troubles, if not ended earlier by fatal termination. Read what T. K. Beall of Iowa has to say: "Last fall my wife had every symptom of consumption. She took Dr. King's New Discovery after everything else had failed. Improvement came at once and four bottles entirely cured her. Guaranteed by Elmer Brock and F. Landry, Druggist. Price 50¢, and \$1.00. Trial bottles free."

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Alpine Lodge, No. 28, I. O. O. F., and Mystic Lodge, No. 5, of the O. G. F. & M. have a joint installation of their officers for the ensuing year, January 2. All members and their immediate families are invited.

The revival meetings conducted by H. L. Gale of Boston closed Sunday night. They were all interesting meetings and much good was done.

A. B. Lavolette and wife are visiting their son, Dr. Lavolette.

The Christmas exercises were held Monday night and were very good. The house was well filled. Presents were not as numerous as in some other years.

Wallace Orcutt, Shirley Hall, Fred Woodruff, Earl Roudy, Mabel Sibley, are at home from St. Johnsbury Academy for the holiday vacation.

Madison Nicholas and family moved to Lunenburg, Friday.

Al Craig is cutting ice for parties in the village.

C. E. Spicer of Plainfield and Miss Mamie Roberts of Burke were married Dec. 25.

The Epworth League will give an entertainment Jan. 6. Mrs. Oranoff, a celebrated soprano of New York city, will be on the program.

Mrs. Isabel Warren is much better and is doing nearly all her work.

## Lunenburg.

Blundin's are sometimes very expensive. Occasionally life itself is the price of a mistake, but you'll never be wrong if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills for Dyspepsia, Dizziness, Headache, Liver or Bowel troubles. They are gentle yet thorough. 25¢ at Flint Bros. and F. G. Landry's Drug Store.

## Lunenburg.

At the regular meeting of the Sutton Grange Saturday evening these officers

## WELLS RIVER.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams of St. Albans and Mrs. D. D. Davis of Burlington, spent the Christmas season with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Foss.

Miss Elizabeth Dalton is home from the New England Conservatory for a week's vacation.

Oscar Lyons came home from Northfield, Wednesday, and Arthur Graves from Andover; George Learned and George Bailey came home from Middlebury, Saturday.

Miss Lotta Belanger returned Friday from Boston, where she has been in the hospital some time, recovering from an operation upon her throat.

Mrs. E. W. Smith has been quite sick with a cold, the past week, but is much improved at present.

The annual Christmas day services were held Monday evening. On account of the sickness of several of the singers the cantata, which was to have been given, was omitted, but there were exercises by the children, and the distribution of gifts from the trees.

Mrs. Dearth, who has been ill for some time at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Myers, is much improved in health.

Erastus Baldwin has been ill for a long time with nervous prostration, and at present is not better.

Fred George went to Barre, Wednesday, to work for the American Express Company during the holidays.

Miss Helen Langdon is visiting her cousin, Miss Adine Hale.

Mrs. H. H. Lee went to Danville, P. Q., Monday for a two weeks visit.

The fair held on Tuesday and Wednesday of last week was a success in every way, and the members of the senior class wish to thank heartily all who helped to make it so, either by contribution or patronage. There were four booths, besides a "grab tree" and shooting gallery. The candy booth, very suggestively decorated in red and yellow, was one of the best seen for a long time; and the art booth was a picture of daintiness in white trimmed with red poppies. The booth for fancy articles was tastefully decorated in red with trimmings of evergreen and the household table was draped in moss-green. The supper Tuesday night was well patronized, and the dance Wednesday evening was much enjoyed. The doll, which was to be given to the girl receiving most votes, went to Miss Bernice Smith. The class members have worked hard to make the fair a success, and they have cleared enough so that it will be unnecessary to have any more entertainments during the year.

Herbert Brock came Monday from his work in Boston to spend New Year's at the home of his father, R. J. Brock.

Mrs. A. M. Whitelaw has returned from a two weeks visit in Boston and vicinity.

Mrs. W. H. Goodwin and Muriel spent Sunday at George Smith's, in Woodsville.

## Lunenburg.

As the trade for the sale of the H. F. Pillsbury & Son steam mill and real estate fell through, as they had supposed it would, they are now installing a new boiler, new engine and other machinery and doing a general repairing throughout the property.

Charles H. Aldrich and family and Wm. A. Hart and family, who lived on the Lake road from West Burke near where the "Eden Meeting House" once stood, have gone to Delaware where they intend to make their future home.

## Lunenburg.

Will Bishop, who lived on the Nathan Way place on the North Ridge, has moved into Mrs. Silas Beckwith's house at West Burke to live through the winter, if no longer, as Mrs. Bishop's health is very poor.

There were Christmas exercises at the school house on the North Ridge Saturday evening and no doubt all present enjoyed a good time.

Herbert Burnham has been sick with the grip and had to give up at the Lyndon Institute before the Christmas vacation.

Eddie Reese has gone to Boston this week for the second time for the purpose of surgical treatment.

The Ladies' Aid society will have an oyster supper at their hall Thursday evening.

Mrs. Henry Mitchell went to Sheffield Saturday afternoon to spend Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. John Holtham and family.

Rev. Franklin Blake held service at the school house on the North Ridge Sunday afternoon.

E. I. Forbes and wife have been to Leavenworth on a visit to their sister, Mrs. Ada (Forbes) Fellows.

Mrs. Lucien V. Still who has been on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Waldo Forbes, has returned to her home and is very poorly as to her health.

W. L. Campbell and wife and little daughter left Tuesday for Indianapolis for a two months visit with Mrs. Campbell's parents, Albert Allard and wife.

Their oldest daughter has also been there for more than a year past.

Leon Aldrich is in a very critical condition.

At the regular meeting of the Sutton Grange Saturday evening these officers

were elected for the ensuing year: Master, H. A. Blake; overseer, J. W. Berry; lecturer, Anna Mitchell; steward, Ora Berry; asst. steward, G. N. Harriman; chaplain, Edith Forbes; secretary, Kate J. Blake; treasurer, S. A. Mitchell; gate-keeper, E. I. Forbes; Pomona, Edna Parker; Flora, Mary Berry; Ceres, Myrtle Joy; L. A. steward, Luella Harriman.

## NEWARK.

Fred Dolloff of St. Johnsbury and Porter Wallace of Claremont, N. H., visited their parents, Christmas.

Warren Fairbanks and Miss Spaulding of St. Johnsbury visited at D. D. Fairbanks' Christmas week.

Mrs. Bernice George is visiting her uncle, Charles Cheney.

Sophia Ball has returned from St. Johnsbury, where she has been staying for some time with her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Rice.

Bessie Simpson has finished work for H. D. Packer and Mrs. Stella Ordway takes her place.

Burton Gray is at home from school for the holidays.

The pupils of Mrs. M. W. Ball's school entertained their parents and a few friends Friday evening at the schoolhouse at Bean's Mill. The room was prettily decorated with green branches and silver stars, and a pretty Christmas tree stood in one corner of the room, loaded with presents for all. Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus delivered the presents to the little ones, who enjoyed it very much.

Christmas exercises were held in the Union church, Friday night, in which the children acquitted themselves admirably.

Mary Roberts and Mr. Spicer visited in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Gordon served a Christmas supper consisting of roast goose, chicken pie and other good things, to several guests, Sunday.

## Keep Thinking About It.

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## WEST BARNET.

Mrs. A. B. Thornton returned from Boston, Saturday.

James Ritchie is at home from Hanover and Margaret Thornton from Burlington for the holidays.

Mrs. F. G. Strobbridge was called to Sherbrooke, Friday, by the illness of her granddaughter, Britomarte Somers.

## STANNARD.

George Brown has sold his place here to W. S. Ransom and G. H. Ransom of Derby. Mr. Brown has moved to Greensboro Bend, where he has work in the mill.

D. H. and C. F. Smith visited relatives in Manchester, N. H., last week.

A large number of neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Jackson gathered at their home Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Jackson were presented with six dining chairs by their friends. Cake and coffee were served. The evening was much enjoyed by those present.

M. F. Ayer was called to St. Johnsbury, Friday, to the funeral of his brother-in-law, S. D. Graves.